



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
21<sup>st</sup> COMBAT SUPPORT HOSPITAL  
FORT HOOD, TEXAS 76542



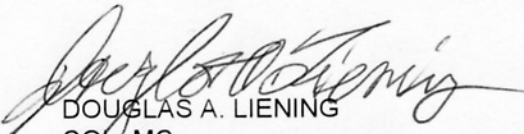
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MEMORANDUM FOR PROFIS Personnel Assigned to the 21<sup>st</sup> Combat Support Hospital

SUBJECT: Welcome Letter

1. Welcome to the 21<sup>st</sup> Combat Support Hospital (CSH). You have been assigned as a member of a team of professional soldiers that have proven themselves here and abroad.
2. The 21<sup>st</sup> CSH is a Level III hospital assigned to the 1<sup>st</sup> Medical Brigade, 13<sup>th</sup> COSCOM, US Army III Corps at Fort Hood, TX, with a mission of deploying up to 248 beds of critical and intermediate resuscitative care anywhere in the world in support of U.S. or coalition forces. When deployed, the hospital has nearly the capacity of a fixed-bed facility. Fully expanded, it has two Emergency Treatment Sections; two Operating Rooms, two CMS suites; pharmacy, laboratory, blood-banking, radiology services; physical and occupational therapy; behavioral medicine; oral and maxillo-facial surgery; community health and primary care support. Credentialed providers within the 21<sup>st</sup> CSH cover general surgery, orthopedics, thoracic surgery, urology, radiology, internal medicine, OB/GYN, emergency care, behavioral medicine, preventive medicine, primary care, physical and occupational therapy, anesthesia, and pharmacy services. The hospital can be augmented with a variety of specialties, including, but not limited to Neurosurgery, Ophthalmology and Optometry, and more extensive Dental Services.
3. Points of contact at the 21<sup>st</sup> CSH may be found on our website, [http://www.hood.army.mil/13cc\\_21csh](http://www.hood.army.mil/13cc_21csh). In the very near future, a PROFIS page will be developed on that website. It will contain a great deal of information helpful to you as you continue to prepare yourself for deployment with this unit.
4. Again, welcome to the 21<sup>st</sup> Combat Support Hospital, "Fear Not".

  
DOUGLAS A. LIENING  
COL, MC  
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